CONGRESSIONAL EARMARKS GRANTS: LOGIC MODEL FOR DIRECT SERVICE PREVENTION PROGRAMS

PROBLEM

Juvenile Delinquency and Child Victimization

SUBPROBLEM(S)

A need for:
1. Additional programming
2. Increased use of best practices
3. Higher rates of participant completion

Goal(s)

Prevent and reduce delinquent behavior and victimization.

Objective(s)

1. Increase availability of youth and family prevention services
2. Increase youth and family participation in prevention programs
3. Promote use of best practices, and
4. Improve program effectiveness and quality

ACTIVITIES

Implement prevention programs, such as Title V and discretionary prevention programs

OUTPUT MEASURES

Earmark funds awarded for prevention services

Number of service slots created

Number of youth or youth and families served

Number of programs that implement a best practices model

Number of program staff that have completed training in program area

Average length of stay in program

Number of service hours completed

OUTCOME MEASURES

Short term

Number and percent of program participants that complete program

Number and percent of those served that show desired changes in target behaviors

Number of youths or youths and families served by a best practices model

Number and percent of youth that offend

Number and percent of youth that are victimized

Youth satisfaction with program

Family satisfaction with program

Staff satisfaction with program

Number and percent of program staff with increased knowledge of program area

Long Term

Number and percent of those served that offend

Number and percent of those served that are victimized

Number and percent of those served show desired changes in target behaviors

Mandatory indicators are in bold type.